

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
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NEWS RELEASE**



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**2012 Yukon River Fall Salmon Fishery News Release # 55
Fall Announcement # 46, District 6 Commercial Periods # 7 & 8
Districts Affected: Upper Yukon Area**

District 6: Commercial salmon fishing will be open for two 42-hour periods from 6:00 p.m. Friday, September 21, until 12:00 noon Sunday, September 23, and from 6:00 p.m. Monday, September 24, until 12:00 noon Wednesday, September 26. These fishing periods will be concurrent with subsistence and personal use fishing periods in District 6.

Commercial fishermen should confirm their market before they go fishing. All salmon harvested during commercial fishing operations must be recorded on a fish ticket at the time of sale. Salmon harvested and not sold should be recorded on the fish ticket as "not sold".

The preliminary cumulative harvest for District 6 through September 19 is 12,774 fall chum and 3,163 coho salmon.

Subsistence and personal use fishermen in District 6 are reminded that permits are required and the total harvest must be recorded on the permit at the time of harvest. Permits are available from the Alaska Department of Fish and Game office in Fairbanks.

Recorded fishery announcements and updates are available 24 hours a day toll-free at 1-866-479-7387. If you have any questions regarding this report, please call the Fairbanks ADF&G office at 459-7274.

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